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H1N1 Flu Clinics for Week of November 30, 2009 Announced

Lawrenceburg — Dearborn county health officials have scheduled an H1N1 Flu Clinic for pre-school aged children between the ages of 6 months to 5 yrs old. This clinic will be held at Agner Hall, Lawrenceburg Fairgrounds, Lawrenceburg, Indiana, between the hours of 11:00 am to 8:00 pm, December 1, 2009. The prefilled .25 injectable vaccine will be available for those children aged 6 months to 35 months old. Nasal Mist will be available for children aged 2 years to 5 years old. Only the .25 prefilled vaccine and the nasal mist will be available. Nasal mist can be used for any healthy child with no underlying health condition. Both formulations are preservative free.

The Dearborn County Health Department, in cooperation with the South Dearborn Community School Corporation, have set up the following H1N1 Flu Clinics for December 2, 2009 & December 3, 2009, at the Aurora Elementary School, 6098 Squire Pl., Aurora, Indiana for those grades K-6 within the South Dearborn Community Corporation limits in Dearborn County.

Also, on December 3, the health department will conduct in school vaccination clinics at the Aurora Elementary School, 6098 Squire Pl., Aurora, Indiana for grades 7-12.

December 2nd & 3rd 3:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. grades K -6, all St. Mary's & St. John's School's students, and any home school children in the South Dearborn Community School Corporation District within Dearborn County.

December 3rd 8:15 a.m. – 2:15 p.m. grades 7-12 during school hours

The injectable form, the "shot", and the nasal form of the vaccine will be available at both evening clinics for the South Dearborn Community School Corporation. Only the injectable form of the vaccine will be used during the school day for those students in grades 7-12 unless a new form for the nasal mist has been filled out appropriately.

Forms will be available at the clinics for any parent wanting to change from the "shot" to the nasal mist for their child.

The Dearborn County Health Department would like to remind all parents that the above scheduled clinics are for pre-school and school aged children. Other clinics will be announced in the future on where parents can receive their vaccination.

Health officials ask for patience as only limited quantities of vaccine have been received. As more vaccine becomes available other clinics focusing on other high risk groups will be announced.